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FM AMEMBASSY LISBON

TO SECSTATE WASHDC 9500

INFO AMCONSUL LOURENCO MARQUES

AMCONSUL LUANDA

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E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: PFOR PO

SUBJ: CALL BY AMBASSADOR ON GENERAL SPINOLA

1. IN PHONE CONVERSATION WITH POLITICAL DIRECTOR FREITAS CRUZ EVENING APRIL 29, DCM INDICATED WE WOULD APPRECIATE FONMIN'S ADVICE CONCERNING APPROPRIATE MOMENT FOR ME TO REQUEST APPOINTMENT FOR CALL ON GENERAL SPINOLA. WHILE I WAS AT DINNER AT RESIDENCE EVENING APRIL 30, COL. BRUNO, CLOSE ASSOCIATE OF SPINOLA, PHONE TO SAY FONMIN SECRETARY GENERAL CALVET DE MAGALHAES (WHO IN EFFECT IS ACTING FOREIGN MINISTER) HAD PASSED ON MESSAGE AND SPINOLA WILL RECEIVE ME NOON MAY 2.

2. WE THINK THIS WILL BE HIS FIRST POST-COUP INTERVIEW WITH AN AMBASSADOR AND SPEED WITH WHICH APPOINTMENT ARRANGED MAY WELL INDICATE SPECIAL DESIRE FOR GOOD RELATIONS WITH U.S., AS HE IS VERY BUSY MAN. I PLAN TO INDICATE WE HAVE SAME DESIRE.  
SCOTT

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